

Torrance, California
April 2, 1940

MINUTES OF AN ADJOURNED REGULAR
MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE

The City Council of the City of Torrance convened in an Adjourned Regular Meeting in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Torrance, California, on Tuesday, April 2, 1940 at 4:30 P.M.

Mayor Tolson called the meeting to order.

Clerk Bartlett called the roll, those answering present being Councilmen: Hitchcock, McGuire, Powell, and Tolson. Absent: Councilman: Murray.

Being an adjourned meeting, the regular order of business was dispensed with.

Mayor Tolson announced the purpose of the meeting, being for discussion of the application of the City of Torrance which is before the Los Angeles Board of Public Utilities and Transportation for permit to operate a bus service from Torrance to 945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles.

Attorney McCall gave a brief summary of proceedings to date on the matter and stated that the Board of Public Utilities and Transportation has deferred action on the application for a short time to give the City of Torrance (and also the Asbury Rapid Transit Company, who has a similar application before the Board) an opportunity to file amended applications agreeing to a restricted service against pick up and discharge of passengers north of Imperial Highway in Los Angeles.

Clerk Bartlett read two communications pertaining to this matter from the Board of Public Utilities and Transportation.

Upon Attorney McCall's recommendation, Councilman Hitchcock moved that the City Attorney be authorized to direct a letter to the Board of Public Utilities and Transportation, requesting that action on the City of Torrance application be deferred until the California Railroad Commission takes action on the application of the Asbury Rapid Transit Company since it is the intention of the City of Torrance to withdraw its application if the Railroad Commission acts favorable upon the Asbury application. Councilman McGuire seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Clerk Bartlett announced that Clifford King had been notified of the meeting, but had not as yet set a date for meeting with the Council and Chief Stroh for discussion of a complaint submitted by him regarding entry of Chief Stroh and two deputy sheriffs at his place of business.

Councilman Hitchcock moved all bills properly audited be paid. Councilman McGuire seconded the motion, which was carried by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Hitchcock, McGuire, Powell and Tolson. NOES: COUNCILMEN: None. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Murray.

Upon motion of Councilman McGuire, seconded by Councilman Hitchcock, the meeting adjourned to April 10, 1940 at 7:45 P.M.


City Clerk of the City of Torrance

Approved:


Mayor of the City of Torrance